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ROUTED THE BOERS

General French, by a Brilliant Dash, Reaches Kimberley.

TOWN IS FINALLY RELIEVED.

Whereabouts of the Wily Cronje a Mystery That Causes Anxiety.

ROBERTS TELLS OF HIS SUCCESS.

His Brief Dispatches Cause Immense Satisfaction In London, but Paris Reports State That the British Are Caught In Another Trap. War News.

London, Feb. 16.—The war office makes public the following dispatch from Field Marshal Lord Roberts, dated Jacobsdal, Feb. 16: "The following from General French was received this morning: 'I have completely dispersed the enemy from the southern side of Kimberley, from Alexandersfontein to Oliphantsfontein, and am now going to occupy their ground. Have captured the enemy's laager and store depot supplies and supplies of ammunition. Casualties, about 20 of all ranks wounded. Kimberley cheerful and well.'"

London, Feb. 16.—While there is tremendous satisfaction and jubilation here at Field Marshal Lord Roberts' and General French's success, those best suited to judge the situation are inclined to the opinion that pending more definite information, the news



GENERAL FRENCH.

had better be regarded as assuring, rather than as accomplishing the relief of the beleaguered city of Kimberley. A careful study of the ambiguity of the wording of Lord Roberts' dispatch leads to the belief that the actual relief of the place is still a matter of time. Kimberley, it is pointed out, can scarcely be termed relieved till it is feasible to take provisions there.

The rapidity of General French's march indicates that he was unable to do this, and whether he left his lines behind him open is only a matter of surmise. It is considered most probable that Lord Roberts and General French's brilliant tactical success, for such it is under any circumstances, resembles the first relief of Lucknow, when the dispersal of the enemy's forces was by no means immediately effected. Another remarkable feature of Lord Roberts' laconic cablegram is the fact that it is dated at Jacobsdal, which was General Cronje's advance base of supplies; yet there is no word explaining the British commander's presence there, nor word of any opposition which he or General French encountered. Had Lord Roberts inflicted a decisive defeat on the Boers, it is believed he would have mentioned it, as such a success would be greatly paramount to the relief of Kimberley, or the throwing into that place of a garrison which would assure its holding out.

However, General French's entry into Kimberley has been effected, and doubtless brings joy to the hearts of those who have been shut up in the city for 122 days. Their defenders number about 4,000, while General French's force is estimated at between 6,000 and 8,000 men. The Sixth and Seventh divisions have already crossed the river and are probably with Lord Roberts at Jacobsdal. What has happened to General Cronje and the

whereabouts of his forces puzzles the experts.

A dispatch from Cape Town, dated Wednesday, says the Boers were leaving Magersfontein to reinforce other positions. It is estimated that between 7,000 and 10,000 men remain there.

Lord Roberts' wide turning movement, via Jacobsdal, may have cut off these troops from Bloemfontein, but while the British forces are endeavoring to intercept the Boer communications, there is a parallel Boer column trying to cut off the British lines to De Aar, and it is apparently meeting with some success, though later dispatches referring to General Clements' retirement to Arundel say the movement was undertaken for strategic purposes, and that during the course of the march the Boers were driven off by a heavy fire, the Inniskillings charging brilliantly and inflicting great loss on the burghers.

A Boer dispatch from Lorenzo Marques, dated Thursday, Feb. 15, says the initial attack on Colesburg Feb. 12 resulted in a Federal loss of 9 killed and 14 wounded and five prisoners. The British, it is added, were driven out of their camp and one of their Maxims was captured.

Say It's a Trap.

The news of General French's entry into Kimberley was received on the stock exchange here with rousing cheers. No boom in stocks was created, but a satisfactory strong undertone prevailed. De Beers rose 1%, but subsequently fell 1/4 on a Paris rumor that General French had merely fallen into a Boer trap.

The dispatch referring to the condition of Ladysmith is regarded as reassuring. There is no further word from General Buller, and nothing startling is expected to occur in Natal in the immediate future.

A Sterkstroom dispatch says that Colonel Eagar, who was wounded and captured at Stormberg, died Feb. 13. The Boers turned his body over to the British at Moltens.

A mutilated dispatch from Cape Town, dated Wednesday, says some grenadiers went through a body of 80 Boers four times, and that only 17 of them escaped. As the grenadiers form part of the Modder river column, this bayonet charge may be connected with Lord Roberts' movement.

The Leader says: "It was no vain report which told us of a strong Boer column in Zululand. It has been strong enough to drive back Colonel Addison's column, which had been working up from Eschow. This place is unpleasantly close to the sea, which, if the Boers should get there, they would practically have a port; not a big one, but still a port. Even at Chieveley camp, the Boers are keeping General Buller's men lively. The statements of Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Balfour in the house of commons regarding the arming of natives opens up a new prospect of horror in this calamitous war. However great the provocation, we should regard arming the undisciplined, uncivilized Kaffirs as an act of the gravest folly. To put a rifle in the hands of a savage is to invite him to commit atrocities. He has no other conception of warfare."

Advance of French.

Riet River, Orange Free State, Feb. 14.—(Delayed)—General French, in command of the cavalry division, and with a strong force of horse artillery, left Modder River Sunday morning for Ramabab, 12 miles east of Enslit, where the whole division concentrated. The next day he made a rapid march to Riet river, where a party of Boers contested his passage at DeKil and Waterfall drifts. After some hours' shelling, General French drove the Boers away and crossed the river.

Tuesday the column continued its march to Klip and Remandal drifts, on the Modder river, where again a short engagement ensued. General French shelling the Boers vigorously and forcing a passage.

The Boers precipitately retired, leaving five laagers in the hands of the British, besides a great quantity of cattle and 2,000 sheep. The rapidity of General French's march and the overwhelming nature of his force enabled him in spite of the difficulties of water transportation to thoroughly outwit and surprise the Boers. The Boer casualties were light.

Colonel Hannay, while on his way to Ramban, encountered 600 Boers with two guns, holding a kopje commanding the valley leading to the drift. The fighting lasted all day long and the Boers disappeared during the night. Thirteen men reported missing from Hannay's force are prisoners. They were informed that an agreement had been reached between the British officer commanding the extreme left and the commandant of the Boer ambulance that half a company of the British should be permitted to fetch water from a neighboring farmhouse. The ambulance then retired and the Boers rushed out of conceal-

ment and cut off the water party. The prisoners included an officer.

General French now holds both the Modder and Riet rivers between the Boers at Magersfontein and their base of supplies at Bloemfontein. Throughout the march the Free State farms were respected, but their members almost invariably fled, taking their effects.

British Evacuate Rensburg.

Arundel, Cape Colony, Feb. 16.—General Clements withdrew from Rensburg during the night. The Boers promptly followed, re-occupying their old position in the Taalbosch hills, whence they have been shelling the British cavalry patrols, but ineffectually. The British guns returned the fire, making fairly accurate practice.

Roberts' Dispatch.

London, Feb. 16.—Following is Lord Roberts' message to the war office, dated Jacobsdal, Feb. 16: "French, with a force of artillery, cavalry and mounted infantry, reached Kimberley Thursday evening."

Occupied by Boers.

Cape Town, Feb. 16.—There is considerable alarm at Nieuwpoort, owing to the report that a Boer force has occupied a position on a hill eight miles off that town.

AT FRANKFORT

Kentucky Democratic Legislators Will Resume Their Sessions.

Louisville, Feb. 16.—The Democrats of the legislature will resume their sessions in the state capitol at Frankfort. Both houses met at noon, and after a short session took a recess until in the afternoon. A quorum was present in the house, but not in the senate, and the interim was spent in drumming up one. A quorum was necessary for the passage of a concurrent resolution to resume sessions at Frankfort. The committee appointed to investigate conditions at Frankfort made no formal report.

Beckham's Suit.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.—Nothing was done in the case of Beckham against Taylor and Marshall before Judge Cantrill at Georgetown. By agreement between the attorneys everything was laid over until Wednesday, Feb. 21. In the meantime proceedings in both cases are to remain at a stand while the attorneys confer and try to agree on some mode of procedure. The matter is then to be brought up before Judge Cantrill at Frankfort Feb. 23, if no agreement is reached in the meantime.

Taylor's Attorneys.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 16.—Governor Taylor's attorneys are considering several names of eminent lawyers, some of whom will be selected to assist in fighting the Kentucky contests before the supreme court at Washington. Among those talked of and who may be among those retained are Judson Harmon of Cincinnati, attorney general under Mr. Cleveland during a part of his last administration, and ex-Senator George F. Edmunds.

Appeal From Taft's Decision.
Cincinnati, Feb. 16.—Attorney H. B. McKay, who, with ex-Governor Bradley and other attorneys, interested in the Kentucky election contest cases, appeared before United States Circuit Judge William H. Taft in chambers and filed notice of an appeal from the decision rendered by the latter on Wednesday afternoon. The appeal will be taken direct to the United States supreme court.

Japan's New Navy.

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—Advices from Yokohama are as follows: The coming naval maneuvers of the Japanese fleet are attracting great interest. The display of Japan's increased naval power, which will make a most imposing spectacle, will undoubtedly tend to increase the war spirit of the nation.

Bryan in Florida.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 16.—Hon. W. J. Bryan arrived here and after breakfast left for Brooksville, where he will visit his cousin, Hon. William Jennings. A large crowd was at the hotel and cheered Mr. Bryan when he arrived. Mr. Bryan will return to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Deep Sea Soundings.

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—The United States steamship Nevo, during its recent survey for the transpacific cable, broke the record for deep sea soundings. On sounding near Guam Island marked 5,269 fathoms, only a trifle short of six statute miles.

Senate Financial Bill.

Washington, Feb. 16.—The senate substitute for the house currency bill, and with an international bimetallic clause attached, was passed by the senate by a vote of 46 to 29. Among the features of the bill is one providing for national banks of \$35,000 capital in towns of not over 4,000.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Molineux to Sit in the Electric Chair During the Week of March 26.

New York, Feb. 16.—Roland B. Molineux was sentenced to die in Sing Sing prison during the week of March 26 for the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams. He made a statement asserting that he had not been fairly convicted and that "yellow journalism" has put a price on his head.

Local Self-Government For the Natives Advocated by Senator Stewart—The Day's Doings In Congress.

FEARS CHEAP LABOR.

Senator McEnery Objects to the Retention of the Philippines.

WANTS ORDER BEFORE WITHDRAWAL

Washington, Feb. 16.—At the opening of the senate it was decided that when the senate adjourn it be until Monday next.

Mr. Bacon's resolution declaring the policy of the United States toward the Philippine Islands was laid before the senate, and Mr. McEnery (Dem., La.) addressed the senate thereon in accordance with previous notice. Mr. McEnery said the question presented to congress was a difficult one, and time alone could solve it. The Filipinos, he said, had no conception of liberty guided by law. Order established one day on the islands would be succeeded the next by disorder and anarchy. He deprecated the acquisition of lands whose productions in the very nature of things were similar to many articles produced in parts of this country. The growth of cotton in Luzon, by the cheap and degraded labor to be had there, would interfere with the establishment of cotton mills in the south and New England. He declared it would have been well if Admiral Dewey had sailed away from Manila after his glorious victory, and left the Filipinos and the Spaniards to fight out their differences.

Mr. McEnery said the sums we were expending in the Philippines would easily reclaim the arid lands of the west and the now useless lands of the Mississippi valley. He opposed expansion, and said he believed that God will solve the problem by destroying the inferior races. He thought, however, the government should establish its authority there before withdrawing. Mr. McEnery complimented the efforts of the president to establish government on the island.

He was followed by Mr. Stewart, who said in part:

"The Philippines will never be dependent colonies. They will be allowed to conduct their own affairs, with the assistance of such officers as it may be necessary to appoint to aid them in establishing local self-government. No one pretends that the Filipinos are now fit for statehood, but I repudiate the suggestion they are not fit for just such government as Jefferson extended to the Louisiana purchase, and Monroe to the acquisition of Florida.

"The president has acted wisely in selecting an eminent jurist in the prime of life to assist the natives of the islands in establishing local self-government after the models which our country so abundantly furnishes.

"We want very little legislation for the Philippines. We want their leaders to come here and see how we govern ourselves, to enable them to do likewise. The absurd charge that there is any intention on the part of the administration, or the Republican or Democratic party, to govern the Philippines, or any other territory which we have acquired or may acquire as colonies, by the strong arm of the military power, is entirely without foundation.

"The country has a right to know that no imperialism or militarism is intended. Whatever mistakes may have been made in dealing with the Filipinos, or in failing to fully acquaint them with the policy of our government, the president's message recommending equal laws for Puerto Rico, and the appointment of Judge Taft to commence the work of instructing and aiding the Filipinos to establish and maintain local self-government indicate very clearly that the president has no idea of departing from the teaching of the fathers, or of establishing an empire on the ruins of the republic."

Washington, Feb. 16.—At the opening of the session of the house Mr. Bennett, the secretary of the senate, announced in the house the passage of the currency bill by the senate. Mr. Overstreet (Ind.), who had charge of the house bill, asked unanimous consent that the senate amendments be disagreed to, and that the house agree to a conference. There was no objection, and it was so ordered. The house then went into committee of the whole and resumed the consideration of the legislative appropriation bill.

Some husbands suggest nothing so much as that more or less backbone came away with the rib that woman was made of.—Detroit Journal.

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WEATHER FORECAST FOR KENTUCKY—Fair and continued cold to-night and Sunday.

The Republicans shouldn't object to "government by injunction." They have been at it so long they ought to be used to it now.

The Republican members of the Legislature have at last found out who are the "tramps." When it came to getting their per diem, they had to go to the clerk of Democratic body for their vouchers.

On account of Goebelism and its methods some Republicans express a desire to leave Kentucky and make their homes where liberty dwells and where the laws afford protection.—Public Ledger.

Well, let 'em go. Maybe there would be fewer assassinations in Kentucky then.

SENATOR PLATT, of Connecticut, doesn't agree with those smart Republican editors who have been telling their readers that the silver question is a dead issue. In the Senate Thursday he said whatever may be said about imperialism or "the toiling masses," the issue will be the same as four years ago—whether or not we shall have a silver standard in the United States. Imperialism, trusts and the silver question are issues the Republicans will have to face next campaign.

A WRITER in the Farmers Voice makes a suggestion not without merit, and that is, that wagons shall be taxed according to width of tire and the funds thus raised devoted to the repair of the public highways. His schedule is as follows: Wagon tires measuring two inches and less across, an annual tax of \$20; those measuring three inches or less, \$15; the four-inch, \$10; the five-inch, \$5; six-inch no tax at all. There is no doubt that a law of this kind would prove a good one. The narrow-tired wagon is a road destroyer; the broad tire a road maker.

The Republican Big Four in Kentucky this year are to be: William O. Bradley, William S. Taylor, George Denny and Sam White, the colored minister of Owensboro. They are going to the Philadelphia convention as the Kentucky delegates-at-large. There is a possibility of Debow being substituted for Denny, but the latter is now very strong with the rank and file of the Republican party. The banner the Kentucky four will carry is to read: "Roosevelt and Bradley."

McKinley's failure to aid Taylor's cause, or even encourage him in any way, may result seriously for the President.—Cincinnati Post.

This settles it. McKinley will at once quit when he learns Roosevelt and Bradley are after him.

FARMERS ON SHIP SUBSIDIES. Illinois farmers are among the latest opponents of the Hanna-Payne bill for enriching the Standard Oil Company and its allies through government subsidies to vessel-owning corporations. Resolutions were adopted the other day by Panoma Grange, No. 33, of Peoria, Ill., and sent as a protest to Washington, among which are these significant sentences:

We denounce the capitalist measure now pending in Congress to grant millions of public money in subsidies to shipbuilders, and hereby petition our Representatives to oppose the bill.

We desire to see our merchant marine prosperous by independent competition, but not by assessments on the grain growers and other unaided industries of the country.

The preamble recites that the grain-growing farmers of this country have to compete in the markets of the world with the grain growers of other countries, and to depend for their profits on such prices as they are able to obtain by independent competition; that they do this without government aid of any sort, and that the signers of the protest believe Congress "cannot justly enact special legislation to favor one industry at the expense of other classes of the people."

These men are evidently in earnest, remarks the Chicago Journal, and their Representatives will act the part of wisdom if they listen to them, instead of to the hired lobbyists that swarm in Washington spending money like water to have this gigantic piece of thievery jammed through.

What American grain-growers are interested in is low freights. Low freights do not result from putting the carrying trade into the hands of a trust, as the Hanna-Payne bill will do. It is to free competition on the sea that the producers and exporters of this country must look for reasonable carrying charges on the goods they send to foreign markets, and the way to secure that is to repeal the iniquitous navigation laws that deny American registry to foreign-built ships and let the American merchant marine take its chances in a fair fight for trade.

STATE RECORDS DAMAGED.

Some of Taylor's Soldiers Charged With Vandalism—Outrageous Work on Part of Some One.

[Courier-Journal.]

By the vandalism of the soldiers who were permitted to do as they please in the State house and Executive building at Frankfort, incalculable damage has been done to the records and property of the State. Vaults have been opened and historical records carried away, the Auditor's files have been seriously damaged and many vouchers destroyed, the law library has been utterly ruined, the historical museum is a wreck, the valuable Collins legacy has been damaged beyond repair, files of Kentucky newspapers for a century have been mutilated and other damage done which it is impossible to repeat.

Up in the old geological survey room, now a sort of historical museum, the confusion is great. This room is entered through double glass doors. The glass has been broken from one of the doors and the opening closed with a patch of sheetiron and cardboard braced with a piece of wood forced between the door frames. Four huge goods boxes are piled just inside the door and each is filled with the remnants of valuable old records, old shoes, preserved meat cans, with a useless Springfield rifle thrown on top as a gawesome reminder of the cause of it all. Piled up in another corner are the sweepings of many days, leaves from rare old books, manuscript copies of valuable, early-century records, and a miscellaneous lot of soldiers' clothes making up the pile of junk.

In this same room is the Collins historical library, the legacy left the State by Collins, the historian, and his illustrious father. It included work of Kentucky history which probably no other library in the world had. Next to the library owned by Col. Durrett, of Louisville, it was probably the most valuable on a single subject extant. The damage done this library is incalculable. Like all the other books in the room, they were made to serve every whim which an unrestrained soldier's imagination might suggest. After the soldiers had been cleared out many of these rare volumes were found under the stove and in the coal scuttles. The pages were trampled upon and the leaves torn, muddled and rendered almost illegible. This room was in control of Col. Ed Porter Thompson, whose porter had the keys. He said he was powerless to prevent the scandalous treatment of the books because the soldiers had captured the porter and taken the keys from him.

Mr. Frank Kavanaugh, the Assistant Librarian said: "It will take a man at least a year to rearrange what records the soldiers have left, and to get the libraries in shape again. We spent months last year arranging the book exhibits in the historical department. The continuity of many records have been broken and we hardly dare hope that they will ever be completed again. In the destruction of the newspaper files alone, more history has been destroyed in one week than can be made in a century. Every library in the possession of the State must be gone over again and arranged in order. How many of these books are gone we will be unable to say for months; certainly not until we have gone all over them and compared them with the catalogues."

[Richmond Register.] It is a fact that vandals have made away with many valuable relics from the rooms of the State Historical Society in the Executive building at Frankfort during the stay of the troops. Historic old and rare souvenirs of pioneer days of the Commonwealth have been hawked about on the streets. There is no telling at the present to what extent this has been carried, nor can there be until the proper custodians are again in charge, and have made an examination of the collection.

[Frankfort Argus.] A great many of the soldiers have gone to their homes, but they left a mark behind them in this city that will be a disgrace to them forever. It has come to light that drawers have been opened in the State building, locks broken and goods of the State taken. The Historical Society room, where the soldiers were permitted to sleep, was also touched by the soldiers, and it is said, very valuable relics have been taken. Rule or ruin seems to be the tactic of the tinplate Cromwell.

He Wants Pie.
[Trenton Democrat.] Two old-time darkeys were over heard discussing politics on the streets of Trenton one day this week, when one of them said: "Now, I speaks the plain truth when I says the niggah has got some 'scuse fo' bein' a Republican, but I tells yo' de plain truf agin when I says dat when yo' hears a white man, 'special publican, yo'd bettah watch dat man, to' he has no 'scuse fo' bein' a Republican at all, 'cept he wants some Republican pie."

CHEESE straws, reception flakes, lunch milk—Calhoun's.

ABERDEEN Masons will have a banquet next Thursday evening.

The temperature was down to 3° this morning. Three inches of snow.

PREACHING at the Christian Church tomorrow at the usual hours. All invited.

WOODFORD County's assessment this year is \$8,034,527, an increase over 1899 of nearly \$50,000.

TUE C. and O.'s earnings in January were \$1,097,443, an increase of \$173,033 over the same month last year.

A MOVEMENT is on foot to build a turnpike from Aberdeen down through the river bottoms, to connect with the Ripley pike.

If the Legislature passes a bill creating the office of Fish, Bird and Game Warden, Maurice Hook, Sheriff of Bracken County, will be a candidate for the place.

THERE will be services at Mitchell Chapel this afternoon at 2:30, this evening at 7, and to-morrow at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. W. S. Grinstead will preach. The public invited.

THE Court of Appeals has decided to resume its sittings in Frankfort Monday. Many of the court records have been lost or stolen through the vandalism of the soldiers, an iron box containing records being emptied and used as a cooking utensil.

POYNTZ BROS. are the only Maysville distillers selling pure liquors by the quart, gallon or barrel, direct from distillery to consumer. Seven-year-old whisky \$2 per gallon. Age and quality guaranteed. Get the best. Office 126 Market street—Watson's old stand.

A \$750 VERDICT was returned in the \$3,500 damage suit by Dr. B. F. Eckman against Dr. F. F. Bryan, of Georgetown. Eckman alleged that Bryan deceived him into moving there from Mt. Carmel, he having made a contract for the purchase of Bryan's practice for one year.

REV. F. W. HARROD has been engaged in a revival service at Foster and attending the Y. M. C. A. convention at Covington but will return this evening and preach to-morrow at the M. E. Church at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at 9:15, Epworth League at 6:15. You are invited to these services.

MR. W. T. COLE, of Greenup, has announced his candidacy for Congress subject to the action of the Democrats. Will is a son of Judge A. E. Cole, of this city, and has many friends in this end of the district. Mr. Frank Powers, of Grayson, and Mr. Edgar B. Hager, of Ashland, are also mentioned as probable candidates.

DAVID M. DRENAN, editor of the Manchester Signal, has announced his candidacy for Mayor of that place, and says in his announcement that if elected he will give the salary of \$10 a month to charity. Recently the Council refused to reimburse the Business Men's Association for constructing a ferry, and this issue, along with proposed improvements, is involved.

HAVING a larger stock of sterling silver knives, forks and spoons than I care to carry, I will offer sterling silver tea spoons at \$2.50 per set; Rogers & Bros. 1847 knives and forks and spoons at a lower price than any other dealer; eight-day clock, \$2; sterling silver sugar spoon or cream ladle, only \$1; ladies' or gents' gold-filled watch, only \$10.

MUNNY, the jeweler.

THE Howard-Dorset Company gave a fine interpretation of the drama, "The Two Orphans," last night, and the large audience that braved the weather was fully repaid. The members of the company acquitted themselves in a most satisfactory manner, and they truly deserve to be called the best repertoire company that has played in our city. This afternoon they will present the funny comedy, "My Mother's Husband's Boy," and to-night, "What Happened to Turner." Matinee prices 10 and 20 cents. Night prices 10, 20 and 30 cents.

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Dress Ginghams and Percales

The early arrival of these goods is to meet the demands of the prudent housewife who begins to do her Spring sewing now. In Ginghams we are showing about seventy-five different styles in checks and stripes and the new corded effects. You'll find them in all colors and designs, and prettier than ever before. They are the regular 12c. grade, but our price is 9c. a yard. Our percales are a full yard wide and made of the very best fabric. The stock is very large and contains a most select variety of patterns for shirts and shirt waists. Price, 12c. a yard.

SUPERB LACE ALL OVERS.

Dame Fashion has decreed the Lace All Overs as the proper material for Spring and Summer of 1900. They will be used extensively for yokes and fronts of shirt waists, and where the purse can stand it, for the shirt waist complete. We have them in large quantities, comprising the daintiest of designs—all our direct importations—and at prices to insure you a saving. They range in widths from 18 to 22 inches. Prices from 4c. to \$1.98. It will pay you to investigate.

BUYERS OF TOBACCO COTTONS.

Will find that our store is still headquarters for these goods. We are showing six different grades at prices ranging from 1c to 3c. a yard. You'll find the best quality for the least money here.



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SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

A Word to Teachers, Pastors, Officers and Others Interested in Sunday School Work.

The Sunday school institute to be held in Maysville, at the M. E. Church, Feb. 23rd and 24th, under the auspices of Mason County S. S. Union Association, will be a rare opportunity to gain new thoughts and the best methods extant for teachers, and plans for conducting a Sunday school.

What the county institute is to the public school teacher, the Sunday school institute is to the Sunday school worker. It deals with "what to teach," "when and how to teach it." Every one wishing to get greatest good should come prepared with note book and pencil and should be willing to receive and impart information.

This institute is free to all who take advantage of it. It is hoped that every Sunday school worker of the county and city will make a special effort to attend the institute if possible.

The various pastors and superintendents of the county and city are requested to announce the institute to-morrow and urge attendance. Come, and bring your workers with you. Programs have been sent to the various schools and will later be published.

Prof. E. A. Fox is an experienced teacher and an able institute conductor.

E. SWIFT, Pres. S. S. Association.

FRED FRANK, once a popular Maysville ball player, will be given a trial by the St. Louis league club this season. Frank was tried by this team on a former occasion, but, on account of his lack of experience, and youth, the trial was unsatisfactory. He now resides in Ashland. His many friends and admirers here believe he will succeed in holding his place in fast company.

Racket's
Prices!

Dish Pan, 12c.
One-half gal. Milk Cans, 10c.
Coffee Mill—holds one lb. coffee, 33c.
Pudding Pans, 3c.
Twenty-five lb. Scales, 7c.

Combination Slaw cutter and Grater, 18c.
Coffee and Tea Strainer, 3c.
Granite Tea Kettle, 44c.
2500 Toothpicks, 3c.

No. 2 Lamp Burner, 6c.

No. 1 Lamp Burner, 5c.

No. 2 Lamp Chimneys, 5c.

No. 1 Lamp Chimneys, 4c.

Everything in Notions, Tin, Glass, Granite and Wooden Ware.

Racket Store.

Public Sale.

I will offer at public sale the Mountjoy farm of eighty-three acres at Summit Station, on the L. and N. R. R., at 10 a. m. Saturday, March 3.

F. DEVINE, agent Mountjoy heirs.

MR. I. M. LANE has been confined to the house since Wednesday with a severe cold.

THE Pastors' Union will meet on Monday at 10 a. m. sharp, at the First Presbyterian Church.

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We are justly proud of it. We are also proud of its contents. You cannot but admit that our house is a satisfactory place to deal with. We sell you goods that are ALWAYS as represented. We cannot sell you inferior merchandise. Why? Because we do not buy that kind.

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STOCK,

of which we will tell you all about as the season advances. Just now we want to say something about what we carry over in heavy weights. The advance in woolen fabrics is from 25 to 40 per cent. This advance you will have to pay next fall and winter SURE. Consult the woolen market and you will see that this statement is not at all overdrawn. Now do as we do. During our Mr. Hechinger's stay in the Eastern markets he secured many lots of high-class Clothing (to be sure some of these lots were somewhat broken in sizes) at prices actually one-half of the price if they were made now.

THESE
GOODS ARE
NOW IN,

and as we did not buy them for speculation, but bought them to give our patrons the advantage of the purchase, they are put right in stock and whatever you select and buy of them will save you more money than you have an idea they will. See the goods and prices in our windows, or still better come in and let us show you the advantage of buying a winter Suit or Overcoat now.



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"As Long As It Lasts"

At a special bargain. Having purchased a lot of eight-year-old whisky that was required to be tax-paid, we have concluded to give our customers the benefit of it, and place the strictly straight, pure eight-year-old Bourbon by quart, gallon or barrel on sale at \$2 a gallon. Purity, age and being two-stamped goods, guaranteed. Finest on earth.

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To Our Farmer Friends:

Don't buy any TOBACCO COTTONS until you price ours. Fair Tobacco Cotton at 1c. per yard. Good Tobacco Cotton 2 cents per yard.

DOMESTICS.

If you are in need of any Bleached and Unbleached Muslin, our store is the one to call on. Cheaper than ever. Good Cottons, 4c.; Lonsdale bleached, 7c.; 10 4sheeting, 1c.

Just received, a large assortment of Window Blinds, 10c. up.

Lace Curtains from 49c. on up.

Carpets and Mattings cheaper than ever.

SHOES! SHOES!

Plenty of them, cheaper than ever. Men's good Shoes, 98c.; Ladies from 50c. on up. Baby Shoes, 23c. Rubbers, 24c.

HAYS & CO.

P. S.—Indigo Blue Calico, 4c.; good fancy Calico, 4c.; Clark Thread, 4c.; good Thread, two spools for 5c.

The Best Is None Too Good For Our Customers.

Call and see our elegant stock of goods and get our prices, and you will be convinced that we can supply you with the very best goods in the FURNITURE line for as little money as such goods can be bought for anywhere.

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A Positive and Emphatic Hit!

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Three nights and Saturday matinee, commencing

Thursday, February 15

The versatile comedian, Mr. Geo. B. Howard, and the charming comedienne Miss Flora Dorset, supported by their splendid company of dramatic and vaudeville artists, presenting the following new plays: "For Love's Sake" "His Mother's Husband" "Boy," "What Happened to Turner" and a great production of Kate Claxton's success,

"THE TWO ORPHANS."

A continuous show.

The People's Prices—Night, 10, 20, 30 cts. Matinee, 10 cents to all.

As a special inducement and a guarantee of the excellence of this attraction, a lady will be admitted free on opening night. Accompanied by a person with a paid 30c. reserved seat ticket. Advance sale Monday a. m., at Nelson's.

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, 10 A. M.

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BROKE EVEN.

The Senators and Winners Each Won a Game in the Bowling Contest Last Night.

In the Maysville club tournament last night the Senators and Winners broke even. The score:

SENATORS.

Watkins.....	187	162
Parker.....	89	134
Dye.....	156	141
C. D. Russell.....	131	119
Hearney.....	133	160
	696	728
	689	
	7	

WINNERS.

Roper.....	125	155
Kackley.....	124	164
Schroeder.....	137	160
Hopper.....	165	144
Kackley.....	138	141
	689	728
	36	

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.
Senators.....	7	3
High Rollers.....	7	3
Rubies.....	3	7
Winners.....	3	7

The worries of a weak and sick mother are only begun with the birth of her child. By day her work is constantly interrupted and at night her rest is broken by the wailing of the peevish, puny infants. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. It lightens all the burdens of maternity, giving to mothers strength and vigor, which they impart to their children. In over thirty years of practice Dr. Pierce and his associate staff of nearly a score of physicians have treated and cured more than half a million suffering women. Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free of charge. All correspondence is strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

Republican Leaders Ignored for Renegade Democrats.

[Midway Clipper.]

William Sylvester Taylor turned down such men as Barr, Fairleigh and Marshall, who advised him to sign the peace agreement, and took the advice of such political renegades and tricksters as Breckinridge, Sharpe, Denny and Tyler. Taylor proved his viciousness by taking the advice of the vicious.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. C. C. Degman was in Cincinnati Friday.

—Rev. J. O. A. Vaught was at Dover Friday.

—Miss Mollie Edmonds has returned from a visit at Chicago.

—Mrs. Ollie Spear, of Paris, is the guest of Mrs. H. C. Sharp.

—Mrs. W. W. Lynch is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Iardella, at Baltimore.

—Captain N. Cooper has returned from Cincinnati, much improved in health.

—Mr. Arthur Crutcher, of Versailles, will arrive this evening to be the guest of friends.

—Miss Lida Rogers gave a bowling party this morning in honor of Miss Gould, the guest of Mrs. Pearce Brown-ing.

—Mrs. Maude Stephens has returned to her home at Frankfort after spending a week or so with her parents at Aberdeen.

—Rev. F. W. Harrop and General Secretary Baker, of the Y. M. C. A., have been attending the State convention at Covington.

—Hon. John W. Alexander returned Friday afternoon from Louisville, where he has been attending the sessions of the Legislature this week.

—Miss Margaret Duke Watson entertains with a theatre party this evening in honor of Miss Gould, Mrs. Pearce Brown-ing's guest, and Mrs. Dr. Harover.

—Miss Lida Meyer Lowry, of this city, city, was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Emilie A. James and Mr. William Bell Pierce, Wednesday at the home of the bride, at Cedar Lawn, Linwood. Miss Lowry was attired in a gown of pink and white silk and carried pink roses.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Pat. H. Fletcher.*

Tug youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Thompson is still very ill.

Y. M. C. A.

Books for the Library Still Being Contributed—The Men's Rally—The State Convention.

The men's rally at Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock will be addressed by Mr. A. D. Cole. All men cordially invited.

Books continue to come in for the association library, and many more are wanted. Remember it is never too late to do good, and that if you have not yet given a book to the Y. M. C. A. library, one or even more will be very acceptable.

The State convention at Covington organized with C. C. Stoll, of Louisville, President; Vice Presidents, J. Bailey, of Madisonville, and Frank Katterjohn, of Owensboro; Secretary, A. Knox, of Paducah; Assistant Secretaries, R. E. Moss, of Kentucky University, and George H. Frank, of Maysville.

The State Executive Committee's report was read by Chairman James Edward Hardy. The committee will require \$6,000 to carry on the work for 1900. Increased development along all lines of association work was shown by the report.

River News.

The Bonanza for Pomeroy, Queen City for Pittsburg and Speedwell for Portsmouth to-night.

Captain Mike Davis arrived Thursday night at Marietta, preparatory to bringing the Urania out. It is generally conceded that she will leave for Cincinnati to-day or Monday, and will enter the Kanawha independent trade.

Portsmouth Blade: "Captain George Edgington, of the Edgington line of steamers, has decided to establish a daily line of packets between this city and Cincinnati and for the time being will use the Wells and Speedwell. As soon as the necessary arrangements can be completed for the charter of the Mayflower, the Wells will be returned to the Maysville trade. This line has built up such a large trade that one boat cannot handle it. The Captain says he is willing to put in a dozen boats if the business will justify it."

The second tow of Walker County, Ala., coal, consisting of 7,000 tons of coal, has just started from Greenville, Miss., down the Mississippi river for New Orleans. This coal is part of a contract for 150,000 tons recently secured by Walker County operators through a New Orleans agency for the use of the Texas and Pacific railroad, which road has heretofore secured its supply from Pittsburg.

For the Farmer.

Lambs for future delivery are being sold in Bourbon at 5½ and 5¾ cents per pound.

J. T. Stewart, of Mercer, has bought over a thousand lambs, to be delivered in June and July, at 5 and 5½ cents a pound.

Cincinnati Price Current, Feb. 15th: The movement of hogs has held up well, fully equaling prevailing expectations. Total western packing for the week 470,000, compared with 480,000 the preceding week. For corresponding time last year the number was 405,000 and two years ago 475,000. From November 1 the total is 7,710,000, against 8,820,000 a year ago, a decrease of 1,110,000. In most instances the quality continues good, but to some extent it has shown a falling off, suggesting that finished stock in some localities is now closely disposed of. Prices are further advanced, the close showing an average gain of 5 and 10c. per hundred pounds, compared with a week ago."

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

This famous old play will again be presented in as new and attractive a form as modern thought and stage invention will permit, and doubtless, notwithstanding its age, the Washington Opera House, Tuesday, Feb. 20th, will do a profitable business. Harry West, a popular colored actor, will play Uncle Tom, and the remainder of the unusually large cast may be considered a competent one. A large number of colored plantation jubilee singers, a pack of Siberian bloodhounds, and an unusually gorgeous transformation scene, necessitating the utilizing in its unfolding of nine distinct drop scenes, will be some of the features that will greet the eye.

A matinee for ladies and children will be given at 3 p. m. Tuesday. Prices 10 and 20 cents.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by J. Wood & Son, druggists. Guaranteed.



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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Second-hand carriages in first-class running order, suitable for livery or private use, viz.: Two Clarence glass top hacks, one large extension-top berouche, pole and shaft, one canopy-top cabriolet or surrey, almost as good as new; two piano box buggies, two carts, one break and one Frazer road cart. Will be sold worth the money. MOSE DAULTON & BRO., Hwy. sale and feed stable, 140-142 W. 2nd St. 17-4th St.

FOR SALE—A desirable dwelling house and lot, situated in Lewisburg, Ky. Address C. B. BOLINGER, North Fork, Ky. 16-2st

FOR SALE OR RENT—My home on East Third street. MRS. MARY T. COX. 14-4th St.

The Only Lawless Citizen.

(Indianapolis Sentinel.)

Mr. Taylor of Kentucky is still awaiting a recognition of his authority and vociferating his opinion that if "the rights of the people" are destroyed "the Democrats" will be responsible. The people have the right to have the laws enforced, including the election law, and nobody has interfered with its enforcement but Mr. Taylor, his "mobs" and his "soldiers." He alone has defied all forms of authority. And after learning that he has so far transgressed the laws of propriety and decency that a Republican national administration dare not support him, he abandons all his positions and poses as a martyr. Mr. Taylor is an interesting figure, and is probably the only living claimant of office who has succeeded in convincing the world that he probably secured his own election by intimidation and fraud.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

C&O ROUTE

CINCINNATI DIVISION CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.

East.	West.
No. 16.....10:05 a. m.	No. 19.....5:30 a. m.
No. 2.....1:33 p. m.	No. 1.....6:10 a. m.
No. 18.....5:20 p. m.	No. 17.....8:50 a. m.
No. 20.....7:50 p. m.	No. 3.....3:30 p. m.
No. 4.....10:41 p. m.	No. 16.....4:30 p. m.

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